

## Minutes

TO: Community Planning and Physical Services Committee

FROM: Ben Wenograd, Chairperson

DATE: June 2, 2016

SUBJECT: Community Planning and Physical Services Committee

**IN ATTENDANCE: Ben Wenograd, Shari Cantor, Chris Barnes, Beth Kerrigan, Denise Hall, Ron Van Winkle, John Phillips, Mark McGovern, Duane Martin, Todd Dumais**

The Community Planning and Physical Services Committee met on Tuesday, May 31, 2016, at 8:00am, in Town Hall, Room 312, to discuss the following:

### AGENDA

1. Waste

**John Phillips reviewed the future of MSW and the program the department is developing with Waste Zero to help the public understand the challenges ahead.**

2. Trout Brook

**Mark McGovern discussed the DEEP's Troutbrook project which is proceeding with a replanting program.**

3. Sidewalk Policy

**Mark McGovern discussed the town's sidewalk policy and a proposed new policy for the construction of new sidewalks. This item will be held to the next agenda.**

4. Complete Street

**Mark McGovern discussed two streets, Ridgewood Road and North Main Street near the center for which the staff is seeking an exception from the complete streets policy.**

5. UConn

**Mark McGovern discussed the town's ongoing evaluation of the UConn precedent to the signing of a purchase and sale agreement.**

6. New Park Study

**Todd Dumais discussed the ongoing study of the New Park area and the public hearing the staff has held on proposed ideas for changes to the area.**

7. Affordable Housing

**Todd Dumais discussed a memo handed out that looked at various ways to provide an incentive for affordable housing.**

C: Town Council  
Ronald Van Winkle, Town Manager

Joseph O'Brien, Corporation Counsel  
Essie Labrot, Town Clerk  
Department Directors